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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Akihiko Tozawa al.

Assignee: **International Business Machines**

Application No: 10/670,068

Group No.: 2167

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**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**Request for Three Month Extension of Time.** Applicants request a three month extension of time from June 24, 2006 to September 24, 2006, and authorize the Commissioner to charge the requisite fee therefore, \$1020.00, 37 CFR ¶ 1.17(a)(3), to Deposit Account No. . **09-0441**.

In response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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